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*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

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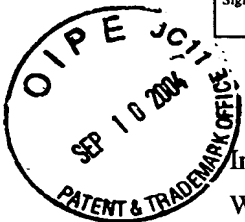
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In the application of :
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For BODY CONFORMING FLANGE FOR HUMAN WASTE COLLECTION BAG

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

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Dear Sir:

This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed March 5, 2004. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the surcharge of \$130.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge payment of any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to grant an extension of time for three months through September 7, 2004 (September 5, falling on Sunday; and Labor Day falling on Monday, September 6, 2004, for timely response to the Notice to File Missing Parts to preserve the pendency of the above-identified application. The processing fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) is as follows:

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- ☐ \$ _ for two-month extension of time;
- ☒ \$ 950.00 for three-month extension of time.

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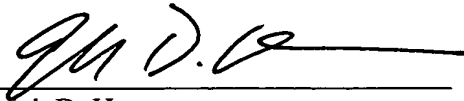
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Respectfully submitted,

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